



# UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/583,964	06/21/2006	Erwin R. Bonsma	36-1993	1484
23117 7590 06/08/2010 NIXON & VANDERHYE, PC 901 NORTH GLEBE ROAD, 11TH FLOOR ARLINGTON, VA 22203				
			EXAMINER NICKERSON, JEFFREY L	
			ART UNIT 2442	PAPER NUMBER
			MAIL DATE 06/08/2010	DELIVERY MODE PAPER

**Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.**

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.



---

**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

---

UNDER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND  
DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

May 21, 2010

NIXON & VANDERHYE, PC  
901 NORTH GLEBE ROAD, 11TH FLOOR  
ARLINGTON, VA 22203  
US

Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 10583964 in the amount of \$130.00 has been denied .

No refund is due. The PTO did not receive the credit card form for the \$130.00 therefore the fee was charged to the deposit account.

Sincerely,

/Tracie Hargrove/  
Technical Center 2400  
571-272-4354